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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant: Tetsuo TANIGUCHI et al.	Art Unit: 2644
Serial No.: 09/228,562	Examiner: C. Tran
Filed: January 12, 1999	
Title: INPUT-OUTPUT BALANCED FILTER	

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

In accordance with 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a), Applicants hereby petition for a TWO-month extension of time to respond to the outstanding Office Action dated June 5, 2003, or until November 5, 2003.

Enclosed is a Credit Card Payment form for \$420.00 to pay the TWO-month extension fee in accordance with Rule 1.17(a)(2).

The Commissioner of Patents is authorized to charge any amount due, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 50-1353.

Respectfully submitted,

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